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KHMER QUESTION --

REPORTEDLY NON-ALIGNED STANDING COMITE SELECTED SENEGAL, YUGOSLAVIA AND ZAIRE AS WORKING GROUP ON KHMER QUESTION. ONE SOURCE THOUGHT REQUEST FOR NEW ITEM AND RES SURFACE SOON. ACCORDING TO USDEL'S INFO, MALAYSIA ALONE PROTESTED NON-ALIGNED ACTION AND SAID IF ITEM LABELED NON-ALIGNED IT WOULD DISASSOCIATE SELF FROM IT. FROM OTHER SOURCES, USDEL LEARNED FRIENDLY ASIANS, INCLUDING MALAYSIA, INDONESIA AND SINGAPORE, TO MEET WITH THAIS TO DISCUSS KHMER ISSUE -- APPARENTLY NOT ONLY STRATEGY RE POSSIBLE NEW ITEM BUT ALSO BROADER EFFORTS FOR PEACE. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN'S 3517)

SOVIET VIEWS ON DISARMAMENT ITEMS --

WITH REFERENCE TO SOVIET PROPOSAL TO REDUCE BY 10 PERCENT MILITARY BUDGETS OF ALL PERM SC MEMBERS, SHUSTOV (USSR) SAID SOVS DO NOT INTEND MAKE DETAILED DATA AVAILABLE ABOUT THEIR MILITARY EXPENDITURES BECAUSE FULFILLMENT OF PROPOSAL WILL BE "VERIFIED" WHEN REQUIRED PERCENTAGES TURNED OVER TO SPECIAL COMITE FOR DISTRIBUTION TO LDC'S. SOV PROPOSAL WAS ONLY DESIGNED TO BE OPERATIVE IF ALL FIVE PERM MEMBERS DECLARED WILLINGNESS TO CUT BUDGETS AND TRANSMITTED REQUIRED PERCENTAGE TO SPECIAL COMITE. IF THIS POINT NOT MET, THEY SAW NO POINT IN ESTABLISHING COMITE, HE SAID, COMMENTING PRESENT PROPOSAL WAS FOR ONE-TIME CUT.

DURING WIDE-RANGING DISCUSSION OF DISARMAMENT ITEMS WITH NEIDLE, SHUSTOV EXPRESSED FAIRLY DEFINITE VIEWS RE NECESSITY FOR PRC AND FRENCH TO PARTICIPATE IN CTB, ASKED ABOUT STATUS OF US RATIFICATION OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION, FEFINITELY OPPOSED CONVENING DISARMAMENT COMMISSION BUT DID NOT THREATEN TO BOYCOTT IT, AND SAID SOVS BASICALLY CONCUR IN US IDEAS RE POSSIBLE ORGANIZATION OF PERPARATIONS FOR NPT REVIEW CONFERENCE. HE DID NOT FAVOR IRANIAN PROPOSAL FOR RECONSTITUTION OF WDC SPECIAL COMITE BUT IF FORMULA WOULD PERMIT SOVS TO PARTICIPATE HE THOUGHT THEY MIGHT GO ALONG WITH IT. SOVS WOULD BE PREPARED
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CONSIDER APPROACHES OTHER THAN THEIR COMPREHENSIVE TREATY AS POSSIBLE BASIS OF NEGOTIATIONS ON CW ARMS CONTROL, AND HE THOUGHT UN RES SHOULD CHARACTERIZE CW AS HIGH PRIORITY ITEM. HE SAID SOVS WOULD CONTINUE GIVE FULL SUPPORT TO CCD AND HE FAVORED ENLARGING CCD TO INCLUDE TWO GERMANY'S AND FEW NON-ALIGNED. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN'S 3522, 3523, 3525)

CHINESE AS UN WORKING LANGUAGE --

WHEN STOTTLEMYER INDICATED US WOULD SUPPORT CHINESE AS WORKING LANGUAGE IN UN, HSING SUNG-YI (PRC) WAS MOST APPRECIATIVE, AID HIS DEL AGREED MAKE MINIMAL DEMANDS AND BUILD UP CHINESE AS WORKING LANGUAGE OVER TIME, AND EXPECTED ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATES OF ABOUT \$2 MILLION COULD BE REDUCED BY 50 PERCENT. HE REITERATED HIS DEL'S CONCERN OVER INCREASING COST OF FUNDING UN. IF MOVE FOR OTHER WORKING LANGUAGES MATERIALIZES IN FUTURE, HSING AGREED DISCUSS IT WITH STOTTLEMYER. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN'S 3521)

SC MEETING ON CHILE --

CUBANS PASSED TO SOME NON-PERM SC MEMBERS DRAFT RES WHICH WOULD CONDEMN CHILEANS IN STRONGEST TERMS FOR ACTS AGAINST CUBAN EMB ANS SHIP AND "EXPRESS CONCERN FOR PERSISTENCE OF MILITARY ACTIONS AND OTHER FORMS OF HARASSMENT AGAINST FOREIGN EMBASSIES AND CITIZENS IN CHILE." CONGO, EG AN MALI ASKED TO SPEAK BEFORE SC IN SUPPORT OF CUBAN COMPLAINT. SECRETARIAT DENIED ANY PLANS AT THIS TIME TO RESUME MEETING, SEPTEMBER SC PRES (YUGOSLAVIA) SAID HE WAS NOT EAGER SEE DEBATE REOPENED, AND OCTOBER PRES (AUSTRALIA) EXTREMELY UNENTHUSIASTIC. EVEN GUINEANS INDICATED THEY HAD NOT DECIDED TO PUSH FOR FURTHER MEETING. SOME ARE SPECULATING SOVIETS MAY FAVOR MEETING LATER IN ORDER ATTACK CHINESE FOR MAINTAINING RELATIONS WITH "FASCIST MILITARY CLIQUE." (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN'S 3513)

COLOMBIAN FONMIN'S REMARKS ON PANAMA CANAL --

AFTER COLOMBIAN FONMIN, IN HIS GA STATEMENT, SUPPORTED PANAMANIAN POSITION ON PANAMA CANAL, BOYD (PANAMA) EXPRESSED "DELIGHT" TO MISOFF AND HOPED COLOMBIAN REMARKS CONFIDENTIAL

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AFRICAN DROUGHT --

LAMUNIERE (UNDP) SAYS UNDP DISPOSED TO HELP START CILSS OFFICE UPON REQUEST FROM ITS RESREP OR CONCERNED GOVTS, AND WOULD PROVIDE OFFICE EQUIPMENT, LIMITED CONSULTANT SERVICE, MAYBE LOCALLY RECRUITED SECRETARIES, AND SOME DOLLARS BUT NOT TRAVEL FUNDS. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN'S 3511).
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